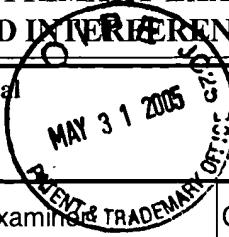


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Docket No.
TPP 31333

In Re Application Of: James A. STACHELL, Jr. et al



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Invention:

VENDING MACHINE AND COMPUTER ASSEMBLY

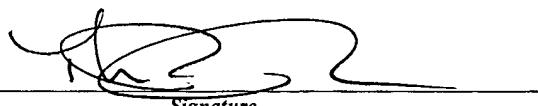
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